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The Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks,
Washington, D.C. 20231,
U.S.A.

PRELIMINARY MENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification:

Before the first line of the specification, add the following:

" REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS


This application is a national phase application under 35 U.S.C. 371 of
PCT/CA00/00289."

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The specification has been amended on page 1 to reflect that this application
is a U.S. National Phase filing under 35 U.S.C. 371 of PCT/CA00/00289.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the
specification by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "**Version with
markings to show changes made.**"

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